



LOCAL CHILDREN ENTERTAIN VETERANS AT SAWTELLE AND PASADENA. . . . A variety show of tap, ballet, acrobatics, and singing by 60 starlets of the Crandell Dance Studios in Gardena, under the direction of Virginia Crandell, was presented Friday night, June 11 in the theater on the grounds of the Veterans Facility at Sawtelle. On Friday night, June 18, they will again entertain veterans at McCormick Hospital, Pasadena. Featured performers from Torrance were Diana Gillgren, Dona Fuller, Tommy and Sandra Richardson, and Mary and Lloyd Daniels.

Improvements at Alondra Park to Cost \$100,000

Approximately \$100,000 is set up in the 1948-49 county budget for improvements at Alondra Park, but a \$200,000 item for a public golf course similar to the one at Griffith Park has been cut out, according to Supervisor Ray V. Darby.

In addition, El Camino College is scheduled to make improvements costing \$81,000 this coming fiscal year, which will bring the park's improvement program to \$181,000 for the year.

Largest single item of county expenditure is a clubhouse by the side of the lake to cost \$68,000, plus \$420 to be allowed the architect for preparing the plans.

Other items are a driveway to the clubhouse, a canoe locker, playground equipment and the grading and paving of a 54,000-square foot parking area.

For picnickers there will be a picnic area with 10 gas stoves, sinks, ten tables, walks, lights and a rest building.

El Camino's improvements will consist of a stadium, tennis courts, baseball diamond and basketball courts, which are to be built with funds which the college paid for its 31-acre site at the rate of \$1000 an acre. Actually, the college will expend its \$81,000 directly for the athletic facilities, and in addition will use some additional funds of its own.

Supervisor Darby said he was considering leasing the golf course site to some private operators, under a 20-year lease at \$1000 a month, with all improvements to be made by the lessees, thus avoiding any county outlay of funds for it.



SUMMERTIME TWOSOME—For the good old summertime Mary Goodfellow designs a wide white lace breton (left) trimmed with a propeller bow of navy, while Irene bands a capucine shantung sailor with flame maline and adds gold and orange silk flowers.

Initial Plans for 70-Group Air Force Told

Initial plan for the establishment of the 70-group Air Force, a new quota of 9000 enlistments per month for the entire United States, was disclosed today. High school graduates will be given a priority by the recruiting service, in order to continue the highly successful Air Force Career Plan.

Commenting on this new policy, Master Sergeant James R. Callison, local recruiting officer, added, "The requirements for Air Force enlistees

will remain the same, including no enlistments for less than three years, a minimum general classification test average of 80, and only single men accepted in the lower four grades."

In the 70-Group Air Force Plan, the service will reach a strength of 502,000 officers and men by July 1, 1950, and not before, due to budget limitations. This will require a gradual build-up process, thus mak-

ing the 9000-per-month quota necessary.

Further information may be obtained by calling at the local Army and Air Force Recruiting office, 1337 El Prado, Torrance or by telephoning 2635.

NEW INDUSTRIAL PLANT

Ground-breaking for a new industrial plant for Los Angeles county — the Auto-Lite Company's plant in Clearwater, was held Monday. Product: batteries.

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New Officers for Museum Are Chosen

William H. Schuchardt is the new president of the Board of Governors of the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park. Schuchardt succeeds George R. Martin, banker.

In the reorganization for the new fiscal year, Supervisor Roger Jessup was re-elected vice-president and Dr. Owen C. Coy, secretary.

Some of the outstanding accomplishments were outlined by Director J. H. Breasted as follows:

Opening of the English and French 18th Century art galleries; opening of the Hearst hall of ancient art; opening of the new bird and small mammal hall; completion of a new parking lot to care for approximately 200 cars; the Rembrandt-Frans Hals exhibition which had an attendance of 93,000 persons; drafting of plans for improvement of Hancock Park.

FISHING LAW INVALIDATED

California's statute prohibiting the issuance of commercial fishing licenses to aliens not eligible for citizenship, is unconstitutional, the Supreme Court of the United States held in a split decision handed down yesterday. The state law, aimed primarily at the Japanese, was enacted in 1945.

LUCKY MR. AMERICA!



C.N.P.A. Mailing Service George Eiferman, who recently won title of Mr. America in nationwide contest, has good chance of winning title for country's most photographed man when he appears at the gigantic PHOTO FAIR scheduled for Los Angeles' Pan Pacific Auditorium June 23-29. These lovelies (left to right) Helen Drake, Verleen Scott and La Von Dixon test his strength after getting their first snap of the "perfect specimen."

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